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IN REPLY REFER TO:

TESTIMONY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SENATE BILL NO. 1320

COMMITTEE ON

The Department of Transportation supports Senate Bill 1320 which would amend the portions of the respective statutes concerning alcohol concentration for commercial motor vehicle drivers to make them consistent with current language.

Senate Bill 1320 amends section 286-131, 286-240(a), 286-242(b) and (c) and 286-243(d) and (e) of the Hawaii Revised Statutes.

The proposed amendments to the language of sections 286-231, 286-240, 286-242 and 286-243 HRS will make it consistent with the current language of section 291E-61 HRS – Operating a vehicle under the influence of an intoxicant.



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TESTIMONY BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS ON SB 1320 RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING

Thank you Chair English and committee members. I am Gareth Sakakida, Managing Director of the Hawaii Transportation Association (HTA) with over 400 transportation related members throughout the state of Hawaii.

Hawaii Transportation Association supports this bill as it represents an adoption of the federal motor carrier safety regulations already in effect.

Thank you.